

June 12, 1996

Priscilla Teasdale
Safety Manager
Monroe County
Safety Office
5100 College Road
Key West, FL 33040

Dear Priscilla Teasdale:

Congratulations! I am pleased to announce that your program, Refuge of Last Resort Plan, has been selected for a 1996 NACo Achievement Award. In this 27th year of the Achievement Award program, NACo is extremely pleased with the high caliber of county programs and projects. NACo is proud to confer this award and recognize your hard work to promote responsible, responsive, and effective county government.

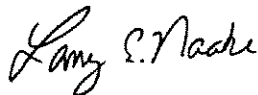
Our organization greatly appreciates your county's participation in our Achievement Award program. In addition to giving us an opportunity to formally recognize effective and creative programs, this program enhances our awareness of county activities and allows us to share valuable information with many counties.

As you may know, NACo recognizes award winners in several ways. The majority of this year's winning programs will be included in an upcoming NACo publication focused on model county programs. Program summaries will be posted to NACo's Internet home page (<http://www.naco.org>) as well. In addition, several of the award winning programs will be highlighted in *County News* articles over the coming months.

Questions concerning the award program should be directed to the Research Department at 202-942-4279/4277.

Again, you have our thanks and our congratulations. We look forward to your continued participation in the 1997 program.

Sincerely,



Larry E. Naake
Executive Director

